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#### REISSUE APPLICATION

Application for Reissue of

Patent No.

6,321,381

Issued

November 20, 2001

Patentees/

Reissue Applicants

Henry C. Yuen et al.

For

SYSTEM FOR IMPROVED PARENTAL

CONTROL OF TELEVISION USE

Assignee

Gemstar Development Corporation

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## PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a)

Sir:

This Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a) is made to set forth the pertinent facts concerning the refusal of inventor Henry C. Yuen to join in the above-identified reissue application. This Petition is submitted with applicants' response to the March 10, 2004 Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application issued in this case, which is accompanied by declarations executed by inventors Roy J. Mankovitz and Daniel S. Kwoh.

Inventor Henry C. Yuen has refused to join this case. Attached as exhibit A is a letter that was sent to Mr. Paul R. Niehaus, counsel for Dr. Yuen, on March 11, 2004 and enclosed, among other things, a declaration in connection with this case for Dr. Yuen's signature. In Mr. Niehaus' response of May 18, 2004, attached as exhibit B, it was indicated that Dr. Yuen will not be providing the

signature. A letter requesting reconsideration of Dr. Yuen's refusal to join this reissue application, attached as exhibit C, was sent to Mr. Niehaus on May 25, 2004. No further communication from Mr. Niehaus has been received regarding this matter.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a), the last known address of nonsigning inventor Henry C. Yuen is:

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Respectfully submitted,

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# CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.172(a) TO REISSUE APPLICATION

Sir:

Gemstar Development Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, hereby certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified United States Letters Patent No. 6,321,381, by virtue of an assignment from the inventor of Patent Application No. 09/558,536, filed April 26, 2000. The assignment was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 10395, Frames 657-660.

Gemstar Development Corporation, as assignee, hereby consents to the accompanying application for reissue of said United States Letters Patent No. 6,321,381.

The undersigned hereby states and certifies that:

1. He is an officer of assignee corporation and is authorized to act on behalf of assignee

corporation in connection with the above-identified patent and reissue application; and

2. The relevant evidentiary documents have been reviewed and, to the best of the undersigned's and assignee's knowledge and belief, title to the above-identified Patent No. 6,321,381 is in assignee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_ 9 , 2004

By: (A(A))

Samir Armaly Vice President,

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